GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY
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Financial Assistance for setting up of Solar Mini/Micro Grids
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Will the Minister of NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government provides any financial assistance for setting up of Solar Mini/Micro Grids;
(b) if so, the details thereof;
(c) the financial assistance provided for the said purpose during each of the last three years and the current year, State-wise; and
(d) the number of beneficiaries under the scheme during the said period, State-wise?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR POWER, COAL, NEW AND RENEWABLE ENERGY & MINES (INDEPENDENT CHARGE) (SHRI PIYUSH GOYAL)
(a)&(b): MNRE is providing Central Financial Assistance of Rs. 105/ Wp for installation of Mini/Micro Grids under Off-Grid and Decentralized Solar PV Applications Programme.

(c): Fund released to States for off-grid applications including Mini/Micro Grids during the last three years and current year is placed at 'Annexure-I'.

(d): A total of 21,24,722 individual beneficiaries benefited under off grid program which includes mini/micro grids. State wise number of beneficiaries is placed at Annexure 2.
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